

POLICY P1410 FIRE ACCESS SIGN SPECIFICATIONS

PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to document minimum fire access sign specifications so that the access points to construction sites will be immediately discernible to emergency responders.

GENERAL

- The sign shall be a minimum of 4' x 4'.
- > Constructed of weather resistant material (e.g., ½" MDO plywood, aluminum or similar material).
- An approved sign shall be posted at all entrances to the construction site. The sign shall be posted at least 10 feet, but no more than 20 feet from the public right-of-way.
- Installed so that the bottom of the sign is at least 7 feet above grade.
- The sign shall have a white background.
- ➤ Lettering shall be red and be at least 4" high with 3/4" brush stroke.
- > All lettering shall be visible and unobstructed by posts, vegetation, open gates, etc.

FRONT OF SIGN

The front of the sign shall state FIRE ACCESS or something similar, the name of the construction project and the physical street address as follows:

FIRE ACCESS

(name of construction project)

(physical street address)

BACK OF SIGN

The back of the sign shall have the name of the project superintendent and a 24-hour phone number for the project superintendent as follows:

(Name of project superintendent)

(24-hour phone number of project superintendent)

➤ The letters/numerals shall be red and at least 2" high with a minimum 3/8" brushstroke.

MULTI-TENANT CONSTRUCTION SITES

The Goodyear Fire Department may require additional signage be posted to identify fire access to multi-tenant construction sites. An example is two warehouse buildings constructed simultaneously by two different general contractors. When applicable, contact the Goodyear Fire Department at (623) 882-7316 for signage requirements.